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Furthermore, no acknowledgement was received for the art submitted with the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed on October 18, 2002. It is respectfully requested that the Examiner acknowledge consideration of these references by initialing next to each reference and that a Supplemental Notice of Allowability be issued in this regard.

For the Examiner's convenience, copies of the above discussed uninitialed PTO-1449's are attached hereto. In addition, we have included a copy of the initialed page 1 of the PTO-1449 from Paper No. 5 received with the Office Action mailed July 18, 2002.

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